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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5683-N-87]

30-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection:

Condominium Project Approval Document Collection

AGENCY: Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: HUD has submitted the proposed information collection requirement described below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act. The purpose of this notice is to allow for an additional 30 days of public comment.

DATES: Comments Due Date: [Insert date that is 30 Days after the date of publication in the Federal Register.]

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal.

Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: HUD Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; fax: 202-395-5806. Email: OIRA Submission@omb.eop.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Colette Pollard, Reports Management Officer, QDAM, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW, Washington, DC 20410; e-mail Colette Pollard at Colette.Pollard@hud.gov or telephone 202-402-3400. Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access this number through TTY by

calling the toll-free Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. This is not a toll-free number.

Copies of available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Pollard.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice informs the public that HUD has submitted to OMB a request for approval of the information collection described in Section A.

The **Federal Register** notice that solicited public comment on the information collection for a period of 60 days was published on May 31, 2013.

A. Overview of Information Collection

<u>Title of Information Collection</u>: Condominium Project Approval Document Collection.

OMB Approval Number: 2502-New.

<u>Type of Request:</u> New collection.

Form Number: 92544, 92541, 93201, 935.2c.

Description of the need for the information and proposed use: The

Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008 (HERA) moves the insurance of a single unit condominium from Section 234 to Section 203 of the National Housing Act (NHA). This change requires that HUD establish new regulations for condominium project and unit approval. To approve a project and/or insure a unit within an FHAapproved project, certain documentation and data are required for review and approval or denial.

Currently, a collection specific to condominium project and unit approval does not exist.

Therefore, establishment of a specific collection item is appropriate. Further, the information collected will be used for performance, risk, trend and other analyses.

Respondents (i.e. affected public): Occasion.

Estimated Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Burden: The number of burden hours is 45,000. The number of respondents is 30,000, the number of responses is 15,000, the frequency of response is on occasion, and the burden hour per response is 3.

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B. Solicitation of Public Comment

This notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected parties

concerning the collection of information described in Section A on the following:

(1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper

performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will

have practical utility; (2) The accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the

proposed collection of information; (3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and

clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Ways to minimize the burden of the

collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of

appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information

technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses. HUD encourages

interested parties to submit comment in response to these questions.

C. Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35.

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